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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Attached please find Form PTO-1449 together with the references as stated cited in the International Search Report.

DE 27 37 181 discloses a conveyor. The reference has been cited under category X, with page 9, paragraph 5 through page 11 paragraph 4 as well as figure 2 indicated to be relevant to international claim 1 - 18. US 4,167,999 is an English-language related document cited on the attached 1449 form. Applicant also attaches an English-language abstract.

US 4,930,623 has been cited under category X as shown on the attached International Search Report.

US 6,070,716 has been cited under category X as shown on the attached International Search Report.

DE 20 45 802 discloses a system of and a method for transporting heavy or bulky articles. The reference has been cited under category X, with page 5, paragraph 4 through paragraph 6 and paragraph 2 as well as figures 1 and 5-7 indicated to be relevant to

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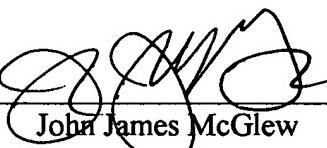
international claim 1 - 5, 11, 13 and 15 - 17. US 3,857,478 is stated in the International Search Report to be an English-language related document and is cited on the attached 1449 form. Applicant also attaches an English-language abstract.

US 3,621,986 has been cited under category X as shown on the attached International Search Report.

FR2807018 discloses a linear transfer device, for pallets, that comprises end pulleys driving notched belt around a shaft, and a pallet positioned on top of belt between lateral guides. The reference has been cited under category X, with page 3 line 34 through page 4 line a 30 as well as figures 1, 3 and 4 indicated to be relevant to international claim 1.. No full translation of this references available to applicant at this time. Applicant attaches an English-language abstract.

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Ex- Initial	Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Sub- class	Filing Date
	4,167,999	1979-09-18	HAGGERTY			
	4,930,623	1990-06-05	Johnson et al.			
	6,070,716	2000-06-06	Haldimann			
	3,857,478	1974-12-31	MEEUSEN			
	3,621,986	1971-11-23	Webb			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	DE 27 37 181	1978-02-23	GERMANY			Yes
	DE 20 45 802	1971-04-01	GERMANY			Yes
	FR2807018	2001-10-05	FRANCE			NO

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